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1. During the past two weeks Alexander Rankovic has been urging Marshal Tito to issue an amnesty for military prisoners in Yugoslavia. Tito is allegedly opposed to declaring an amnesty on the grounds that it would indicate a weakness on the part of the Government. Rankovic, on the other hand, maintains that such action would contribute to internal solidarity.
 2. If the amnesty were declared it would effect 2,590 officers (predominantly Royal Yugoslav officers) and men with a small number of Mihailovic and Nedelic followers who are now held as military prisoners somewhere in Bosnia and Macedonia.

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